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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE
PRESIDENT FROM GRAND DUKE JEAN

1. FYI -- FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM GRAND DUKE
JEAN: QTE: THE CELEBRATION OF THE BICENTENNIAL ANNIVER-
SARY OF INDEPENDENCE DAY GIVES ME THE PLEASANT OPPORTUNITY
TO REITERATE MY BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL HAPPINESS
AND FOR THE CONTINUED PROSPERITY AND WELFARE OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA, WHOSE FRIENDSHIP IS SO DEAR TO THE
PEOPLE OF LUXEMBOURG. END QTE.

2. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT FORD SHOULD BE
DELIVERED TO THE GRAND DUKE: QTE: YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS:
ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, MRS. FORD AND I THANK
YOU FOR YOUR MOST WELCOME MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES ON THE
COMMEMORATION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATION'S
INDEPENDENCE. AS WE ENTER OUR THIRD CENTURY, THE UNITED
STATES REDEDICATES ITSELF IN WORD AND DEED TO THE PRINCI-
PLES OF LIBERTY, EQUALITY, AND INDIVIDUAL DIGNITY. WE DO
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SO WITH THE ANTICIPATION AND CONFIDENCE THAT RELATIONS

BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES WILL CONTINUE TO FLOURISH.
SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. END QTE.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT
WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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